

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
HALLINAN et al. ) Customer No. 25269  
Application No.: 10/813,078 ) Confirmation No. 4644  
Filing Date: March 31, 2004 ) Group Art Unit. 3671  
For: MOWER TRIMMER COMBINATION FOR ) Examiner: A. M. TORRES  
FACILITATING SIMULTANEOUS MOWING )  
AND EDGE TRIMMING IN A SINGLE PASS )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated May 15, 2008, the period of response to which extends through November 15, 2008, with payment of a three-month extension, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.